



Charleston
Jewish Federation

Impact Report

2022



IT'S MOMENTS LIKE THIS

LETTER FROM PRESIDENT & CEO

In 2022, our Jewish community achieved unprecedented impact thanks to dedicated donors and volunteers like you. Through our Community Campaign, emergency Ukraine appeal, and support from foundations and sponsors, we raised funds that secure, build, and sustain Jewish life in Greater Charleston, Israel, and worldwide.

From PJ Library books for 350 children to Young Jewish Charleston providing Jewish connections to 300 young adults, we invested in community-building and engagement at every stage of life. We combatted rising antisemitism by strengthening security, enhancing educational resources, and advocating for our people. We worked towards securing a Jewish future for Charleston through our LIFE & LEGACY program and the Jewish Endowment Foundation.

And our commitment to the global Jewish family grew stronger than ever. By financially supporting families in sending their children to camp and Israel, we forged living bridges with Hadera-Eiron and Prague, fostering connections that transcended borders. And when Ukrainian Jews sought refuge from a brutal war, we extended our arms, providing critical aid and facilitating the resettlement of an entire multi-generational family, including two Holocaust survivors, within our close-knit community.

As you delve into this report, the magnitude of our impact and the undeniable significance of your support magnifies what we all know to be true: the power of a gift to the Charleston Jewish Federation touches more Jewish lives than any agency can do alone. We deeply thank you for your generous contribution and unwavering dedication to our special Jewish community. Together we are building a safer and brighter Jewish future for us all.



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ENSURING THE JEWISH FUTURE

Charleston PJ Library creates Jewish connections and experiences for all Jewish families, regardless of their background, family make-up, or level of observance. Through monthly playdates, community programs, and partnerships with our organizations, our families are building relationships and Jewish futures.



4,308 PJ Library books mailed to **364** kids representing a **30%** increase in enrollment from the previous year.



Shalom Baby

Shalom Baby is CJF's way of welcoming the newest members of our community. This welcome gift is a way of supporting new parents. For some, this is their first connection to our Jewish Community.



In 2022
we
welcomed
26 new
babies!

"PJ Library is a partner in raising my kids Jewishly. Their thoughtful books and activities, like the sticker calendar, have helped my kids love Judaism. I even learn from the prompts on the book flaps for discussions and self-led activities." - PJ Library Parent



PJ Library sends free monthly Jewish children's books to children from birth to age 12 throughout the Lowcountry. A program of the Harold Grinspoon Foundation, PJ Library is made possible by your contribution to the Annual Community Campaign. Sign up at pjlibrary.org/enroll-in-a-community.

NURTURING JEWISH IDENTITY

CJF empowers the next generation to actively participate in Jewish life by providing scholarships, mentorship programs, and resources. We support younger Jews in strengthening their Jewish roots and identities.

Israel Education Fellowship

5 teens had transformative experiences in Israel in 2022 thanks to the support of the Israel Education Fellowship (IEF) Program! This community-wide initiative quadruples family donations to support sending their children on a meaningful trip to Israel.



For more information visit jewishcharleston.org/ief.

Overnight Jewish Camp

Studies have shown that attendance at overnight Jewish camp is linked to a deeper connection to Judaism later in life. According to the Foundation for Jewish Camp, 41% of One Happy Camper recipients may not have attended camp without the incentive grant. 53% said that overnight Jewish camp is their primary immersive experience with Jewish peers and 87% returned to camp for a second year.



10 local families received the gift of Jewish overnight camp for the first time thanks to our partnership with One Happy Camper.

One Happy Camper recipients attended Camps Airy & Louise, Camp Judea, Camp Ramah Darom, URJ Camp Coleman, and Camp Stone.

Summer Teen Trip to Israel

In Summer 2022, four Charleston teens traveled to Israel with other teens from our Southeast Consortium on the Partnership2Gether Summer Teen Trip, made possible by CJF's participation in the Jewish Agency for Israel's Partnership 2Gether Program.



Partnership 2Gether is a community initiative of the Charleston Jewish Federation that creates people-to-people connections between Jewish members of our community and those of our partnered communities in the Southeast Consortium, Prague, and Hadera-Eiron, Israel.

Max Kirshstein Community Youth Endowment Award

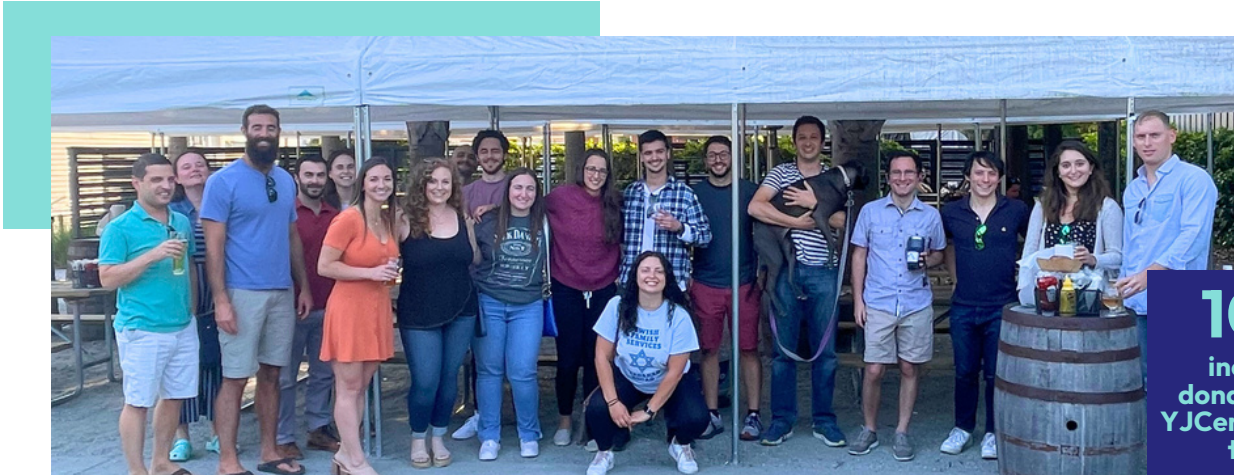


Emma Bluestein,
2022 Recipient

Emma Bluestein carries on Max's legacy of community service. Mazal tov!

BUILDING THE NEXT GENERATION OF LEADERSHIP

Young Jewish Charleston builds the next generation of Jewish leadership by inspiring and engaging our Jewish young adults through networking, education, tikkun olam, and philanthropy.



107%
increase in
donations from
YJCers from 2021
to 2022

Festival Jew Orleans



A group of nine YJCers traveled from Charleston to Festival Jew Orleans to get to know their peers from other Southern cities. During the trip, the group kayaked, planted trees, celebrated Shabbat, and visited the Museum of Southern Jewish Experience.

But our work doesn't stop there. Did you know that we also support Birthright and create leadership opportunities that connect our Young Jewish Charleston participants to Israeli peers?



Jared Ross, YJC
Board Member

Strong friendships are formed between Israelis and Americans through a joint leadership study program, Leadership2Gether (L2G). When L2Ger Jared visited Israel, he was welcomed by our Partnership community. During his visit, he connected with his Hevruta (fellowship) partner, explored various places in our region, such as Neve Michael Children's Village, and enjoyed a two-day adventure trip in the Israeli desert!

Young Jewish Charleston Award



Danielle Trauth-Jurman,
2022 Recipient

Mazal tov to Danielle Trauth-Jurman, the Young Jewish Charleston Award winner, which honors a YJC member's exceptional leadership. Danielle currently serves on the CJF Board and is the Chair of YJC. Her unwavering commitment to philanthropy and our Charleston Jewish community has elevated this group.



SUPPORTING LOCAL AND WORLDWIDE JEWISH COMMUNITY

By promoting Jewish life, CJF ensures the continuity of a vibrant and inclusive community that fosters a sense of belonging and identity among Jews worldwide.



CJF sponsors Yom Ha'atzmaut (Israel Independence Day) Community-Wide Event



300+ community members joined us for the 11th Annual Jewish Heritage Night with The RiverDogs, Charleston's baseball team.



On the same day that Jewish Federations of North America made it possible for over 200 Ethiopian Olim to make aliyah to Israel, CJF hosted Israeli Ethiopian music artist, Gili Yalo, for a concert with Hillel students and the larger community. Yalo's family was brought to Israel in the 1980s through Operation Moses. As a Federation, we proudly tell the story of the pivotal role we played in the aliyah of 97,000 Ethiopian Jews and their families over decades – starting with Operation Moses in the 1980s, Operation Solomon in the 1990s, and the continuing work today of Operation Rock of Israel.



Gili Yalo concert



Ethiopian Olim arrive in Israel

REMEMBER PROGRAM

HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE

The REMEMBER Program for Holocaust Education and Genocide Awareness shares the lessons from the Holocaust to build community amongst all races, faiths, and ethnicities, and inspires citizens to take a stand against all forms of hate.



Our community-wide Yom HaShoah Program gives us all the space to remember Jews murdered in the Shoah because of discrimination and hate. In 2022, we held our first in-person Yom HaShoah program since the beginning of the pandemic and drew in 300+ people from across the greater Charleston community. The message was clear: the next generation is taking up the mantle to ensure the testimonies of Survivors are never forgotten.



CJF Leadership Development Award

Reggie Guigui
2022 Recipient

Mazal tov to Reggie Guigui, the winner of the 2022 Leadership Development Award. We are so thankful to Reggie for her 10+ years of service to the REMEMBER Program as Co-Chair and her continued commitment to sharing her testimony as a daughter of two survivors.



CJF REMEMBER Program receives BSBI's Joe Engel Holocaust Remembrance Award

We Remember The Holocaust Survivors we Lost in 2022



Joe Engel



Sylvia Zealberg



HOLOCAUST EDUCATION

Through the work of the REMEMBER Program, your Charleston Jewish Federation supports teachers, students, and administrators in understanding and educating about the Holocaust. We provide teacher training for educators, the Remember Project for students, and our Speaker's Bureau supplements historical information with testimony that the students can connect with, bringing the history alive for them.



"This course wouldn't have been the same without the time and commitment of the speakers from the REMEMBER program... my students have a clearer understanding of the Holocaust through the words of someone who survived it and feel more empowered to stand up against modern antisemitism. They did more than I ever could have done as an educator."

Josie Oakley, Educator, Bishop England

Holocaust Survivors and their descendants shared their testimonies 22 times with 2,300 community members & students in 2022.

The Remember Project

Through this year's Remember Project we reached more schools than ever with resources for Holocaust education. We visited the Anne Frank Center in Columbia, heard from local survivor Harry Schneider, and visited the Charleston Holocaust Memorial with descendants of survivors.



"Through this project, I have learned and grown more than I ever thought possible. I have been truly humbled by the stories of survival and even more so by the stories of kindness and hope." - Nolan Diffley, Remember Project



Remember Project Students with descendants of survivors in the Joe Engel Daffodil Garden at Addlestone Hebrew Academy for the 4th Annual Generations of Shoah Program

JEWISH COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCIL

Advocacy & Coalition-Building: We're Stronger Together



This year we continued our advocacy in support of a hate crime law through the Stamp Out Hate SC coalition, seen here announcing a business canvassing effort. The SC Black Caucus awarded Stamp Out Hate SC with the "Partners in Progress" Award for our efforts.

Finding common cause with other groups and organizations helps build lasting relationships that benefit our Jewish community. 2022 represented a new era of advocacy partnerships with organizations around the state and nation.



Our statewide network of Jewish Federations joined together for the first time to push back against legislative efforts to censor K-12 education, to advocate for hate crimes legislation, and to issue press releases and written testimony.



**Jewish
Federations**
of South Carolina

Connecting the Jewish Community to Our Elected Officials

For the 2022 elections, we hosted our first-ever Jewish Community Elections Briefing, in partnership with League of Women Voters SC, to teach community members how to research candidates and vet their positions on issues.

2022 JEWISH COMMUNITY ELECTIONS BRIEFING



This Hanukkah, we gathered the state, including our elected officials, to Shine a Light to drive out the darkness of antisemitism. We also awarded microgrants for awareness programs across the state, and helped pass resolutions condemning antisemitism in Charleston, Columbia, Greenville, and Myrtle Beach.

TIKKUN OLAM

As part of the Jewish Communal Response to Hunger, the Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater Charleston collaborates with Lowcountry Food Bank, grassroots neighborhood organizations, and local synagogues to bring fresh, healthy food where it's most needed. We've zeroed in on Lowcountry "Food Deserts," or areas without easy access to fresh food.

100,000 pounds of fresh produce were distributed to over 6,500 community members living in food deserts.



As an extension to our food insecurity outreach program, we introduced a community-wide school supply drive, teaming up with Eastside neighborhood groups, Charleston Historic Foundation, and all of our local synagogues to provide backpacks and school supplies to 700 students in need.



JScreen Genetic Screening: Whoever saves one life, saves the world entire.

“ I have peace of mind knowing that I have carrier status only and am so glad I got tested early... my parents and living grandparents are more informed about their health.
- Charleston JScreen Recipient ”



YJCers come together at a local gin distillery to learn about the importance of Jewish genetic testing for "Gin and Genetics"

Genetic testing is an incredible tool that can help ensure a healthy Jewish community today and for generations to come. Our community is at higher risk for certain genetic diseases and hereditary cancers. Knowing your genetic risks can allow you to take action and be proactive about your family's health. This is why, thanks to the generous support of local donors, the Charleston Jewish Federation has invested in supplementing the cost of JScreen for our community. Getting tested could save your life.

Visit [JScreen.org](https://www.jscreen.org) and use code "CJFCARES150" to receive the following discounts:

ReproGEN reproductive genetic screening: \$0 (normally \$149)
CancerGEN cancer genetic screening: \$49 (normally \$199)
ReproGEN and CancerGEN combo: \$149 (normally \$299)

SECURING OUR JEWISH COMMUNITY

The Anti-Defamation League (ADL) released its 2022 Audit of Antisemitic Incidents, showing a 36% increase in the US and a 193% increase in South Carolina. While these are staggering statistics, your Charleston Jewish Federation has a strategic plan to combat antisemitism. Our holistic approach includes education, advocacy, and security and addresses antisemitism on every level.



Michael Masters, the National Director and CEO of Secure Community Network, visited Charleston and presented to community leaders, elected officials, and law enforcement.

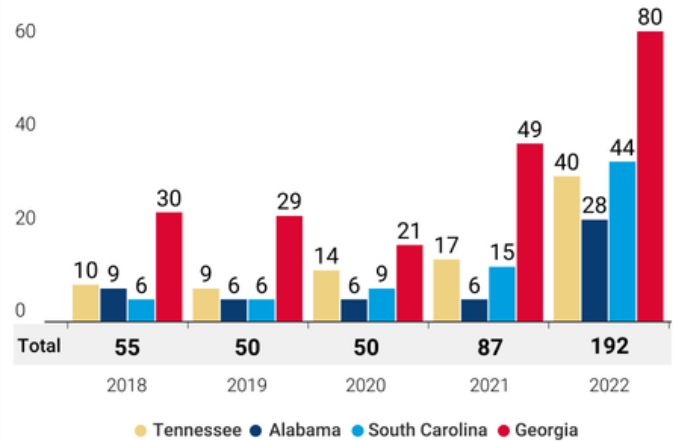
In January 2022, we watched in horror as the four synagogue members in Colleyville, Texas, were held hostage for over 12 hours. Fortunately, they all made it out alive, and Rabbi Charlie Cytron-Walker attributes the training they received from their Secure Community Network (SCN) Security Advisor as the reason they survived.

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We are alive today because of that education!

- Rabbi Cytron-Walker

Antisemitic Incidents | ADL Southeast
Five Year Review



ADL Southeast serves Tennessee, Alabama, South Carolina and Georgia



In 2021, CJF entered into a partnership with Secure Community Network (SCN). SCN is the official security and safety organization for the American Jewish community. Just as Israel has an Iron Dome to protect its citizens from attack, SCN seeks to provide a “security shield” for America’s Jewish community. Our Jewish community members and institutions benefit daily from our SCN Security Advisor, Jason Roebuck.

In 2022, our Jewish community institutions received 1.5 million dollars from the Nonprofit Security Grant Program to boost their security infrastructure.



Thanks to generous support from donors, foundations, and a matching grant from Jewish Federations of North America through their LiveSecure initiative, the Charleston Jewish community benefits from a robust security program that empowers our community with the tools to continue engaging in Jewish life safely.

COMBATING ANTISEMITISM & STANDING UP AGAINST HATE

The alarming increase in antisemitism and other incidents motivated by prejudice, intolerance, and hate, was the impetus for the Charleston Jewish Federation and the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) to form a **first-of-its-kind partnership**. CJF is proud to have innovated this collaborative model and to have the first boots-on-the-ground, ADL-trained professional on our team responding to incidents of antisemitism in schools and the community.

Visit jewishcharleston.org/incidentreporting to report an antisemitic incident



Educating Students and Community Members

Over 250 students, teachers, and community members were empowered through ADL Training to understand bias and identity, and to address antisemitism.

We provided anti-bias training and support to Jewish religious school students, offering sessions on understanding and responding to antisemitism. During one of those sessions, a student reported that one student locked another Jewish student in a greenhouse... and said it was a gas chamber and called her a "dumb Jew."

In an inaugural program, local Jewish teens gained valuable knowledge and insights on the critical topic of antisemitism in the ADL Antisemitism Cohort led by Natanya Miller, Director of Educational Initiatives. Students met monthly and discussed the roots of antisemitism, identifying and responding to it effectively, navigating the complex terrain of social media, and comprehending the history of Israel and the perils of anti-Zionism.



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Antisemitic fliers on our doorstep shocked our welcoming community in Georgetown, SC. We reported the incident to law enforcement, ADL, and SCN. Natanya Miller's presentation for the larger community armed us with information for future situations, and we felt supported by the Charleston Jewish community.

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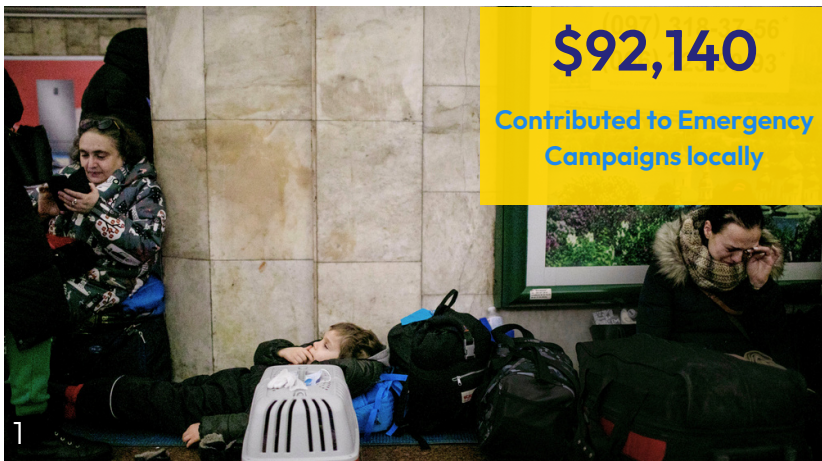
Sandra Brett

William Ackerman Volunteer of the Year Award

Sandra Brett is a dedicated volunteer who tirelessly contributes to improving Jewish lives and the broader community through her work with the Jewish Community Relations Council, the REMEMBER Program, the Charleston Interreligious Council, ADL and more. She truly exhibits the spirit of this award.

UKRAINE RELIEF AND RESETTLEMENT

Your support made possible **the resettlement of a multi-generational Ukrainian refugee family**, including Holocaust Survivors, **here in Charleston**. With your support, they are rebuilding their lives here in our Jewish community.



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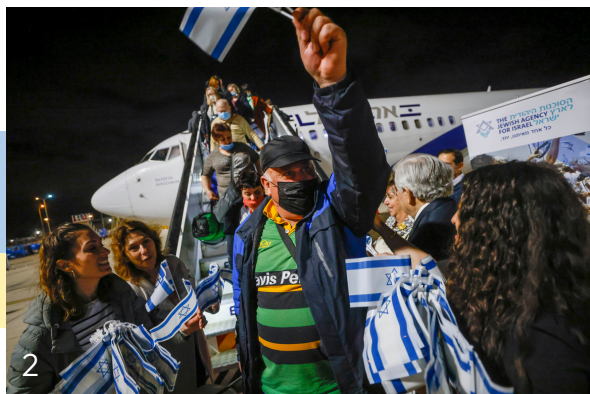
Contributed to Emergency Campaigns locally

The war in Ukraine has created one of the century's most significant humanitarian crises. The generosity of our donors enables us to provide humanitarian relief, aliyah assistance, and support for the resettlement of Ukrainian refugees in Charleston as well as in our Partnership 2Gether region of Prague.

While bombs flew overhead in Ukraine, Jewish Federations nearly 5,000 miles away raised \$85 million to support the Ukrainian Jewish community. It's moments like these that we are reminded of the power of our community.



Through an additional allocation from our Israel and Overseas Committee we provided housing and food for **76** Ukrainian refugees, among them **23** children and Holocaust Survivors living in our Partnership 2Gether sister-city of Prague.



Ukrainian Olim land in Israel with the help of the Jewish Agency for Israel



Jewish senior receives support from the JDC

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Thanks to all who brought my family to Charleston, SC. When the war broke out, the Federation assured me we weren't alone. The Federation helped bring 12 Ukrainian Jewish community members here... We are so grateful to have found a home in this community.

Charleston Jewish Community Member



Photo Credit:

1. AG, 2. Olivier Fitoussi for The Jewish Agency for Israel, 3. AG 4. Max Dinshtein for the Jewish Agency for Israel

STRENGTHENING OUR CONNECTION TO ISRAEL & GLOBAL JEWRY

In addition to our work with international partners, Jewish Agency for Israel and the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC), CJF's Israel and Overseas Committee selects specific Israeli nonprofits that support **struggling communities worldwide, respond to crises, promote a pluralistic Israeli society, and create living bridges with the people of Israel.** These international nonprofits all further social and educational goals and, in many cases, have directly engaged our Charleston Jewish community through advocacy or awareness initiatives. Read below about CJF's impact through our support of these organizations.



Olga, a recent convert to Judaism, and her husband Sergei under the chuppah with ITIM CEO Rabbi Seth Farber. ITIM, with the support of the Charleston Jewish Federation, worked tirelessly to prove to the rabbinical court that Sergei wasn't a Cohen so that the two could be married.



Through the Masorti, Conservative Movement in Israel, the Charleston Jewish Federation supports students with special needs to learn and prepare for their bar/bat mitzvot.

The Charleston Jewish Federation supports the work of Hiddush's legal department, allowing them to work toward the full realization of religious freedom and equality as promised in Israel's Declaration of Independence. This includes fighting for freedom of marriage, gender equality, pluralistic civil burial, and fighting against discrimination of non-Jewish organizations.



The Charleston Jewish Federation supports Women of the Wall by providing funding for them to solicit the input of a professional educator who is knowledgeable in Jewish text and ritual to create videos showing young women how to properly perform Jewish rituals and explain the meaning behind the actions.

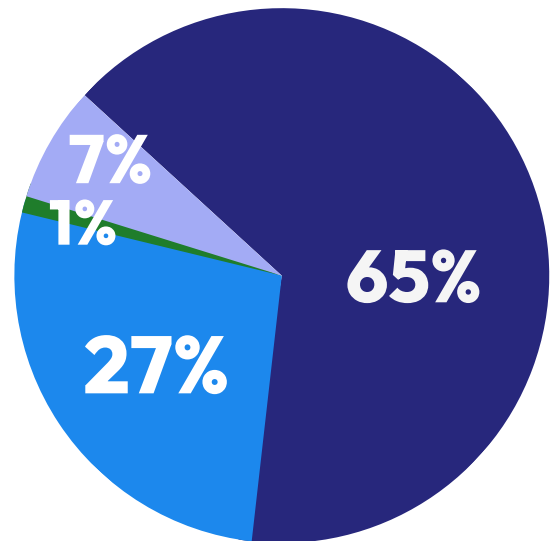
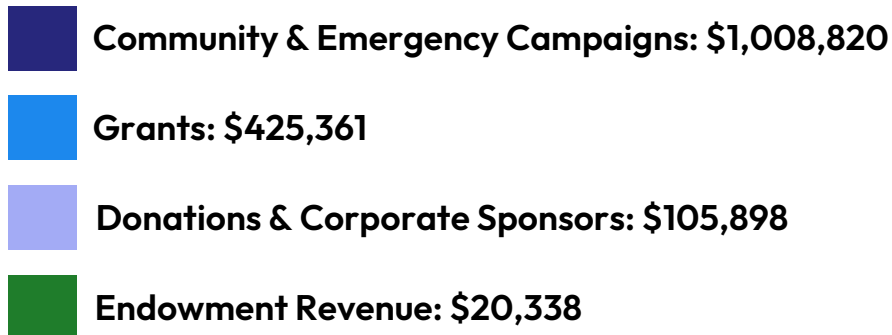


A Jewish-Arab leadership program that encourages participants to struggle for a just and equal society, true Jewish-Arab partnership, and eradication of discrimination and racism through open and honest dialogue and leadership development. This program is organized by Hamidrasha and supported by the Charleston Jewish Federation.

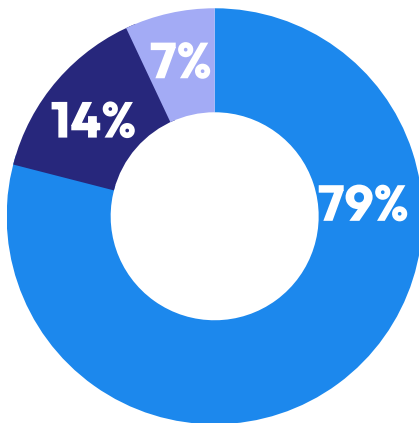


FINANCIAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

Total Raised: \$1,545,877



2022 Community & Emergency Campaign Distribution



Greater Charleston Jewish Community

Israel and Global Jewish Peoplehood

Reserves & Campaign Shrinkage

Total Distributed: \$1,430,147

MISSION
(ALLOCATIONS, PROGRAMS, INITIATIVES, FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE)

\$1,159,374 81%

COMMUNITY RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

\$140,017 10%

MANAGEMENT

\$130,756 9%

Charleston Jewish Federation is committed to transparency and financial integrity. CJF's Audited Financial Statements and Form 990s are available online at www.jewishcharleston.org/about-us/financials

Platinum Transparency 2023

Candid.

Charity Navigator



FOUR-STAR

SUPPORTING AND FOSTERING JEWISH LIFE

LOCAL PARTNERS & BENEFICIARIES

The Annual Community Campaign provides grants to our Jewish schools, synagogues, and agencies to support tuition, scholarships, youth programs, Jewish culture, education, and so much more.



NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

The Federation system touches more lives worldwide than any other organization. Through our strategic partnerships, your gift protects and enhances the well-being of Jewish people wherever there is Jewish life.



THANK YOU TO OUR FOUNDATION PARTNERS

We thank our Foundation partners who support and foster Jewish life.

Bill, Jennie, Conni & Harry Ackerman Foundation
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The Charleston JCC Foundation
Coastal Community Foundation
Stanley B. Farbstein Endowment of CCF & JEF
Foundation for Jewish Camp
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Honeycomb
Jewish Federations of North America
Kronsberg Family Fund
The Leon Levine Foundation
Hebrew Orphan Society
Oscar & Mona Sokol Foundation
The TBonz Foundation; Homegrown Hospitality
Henry & Sylvia Yaschik Foundation



Thank you to the Harold Grinspoon Foundation for:



CJF LIFE & LEGACY SOCIETY



We invite you to join our community members who have made a Legacy gift through the creation of an endowment, or in their will, trust, retirement account or life insurance policy:

Anonymous (7)

Ami Abramson

Shera Lee Berlin

Herbert (OBM) & Jaclyn Berlinsky

Eileen & Stanley Chepenik

David & Linda Cohen

Ted & Judi Corsaro

Aaron & Rebecca Engel

Joe Engel (OBM)

Brandon Fish

Harvey & Janet Friedman

Harry & Ruth Goldberg

Marsha & Bill Golod

Ellen Hoffman

Marilyn Hoffman

Sharon Hox

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Bruce & Ava Kleinman

Samantha Krantz

Rachel & Jim Landis

Jack & Camo Lawson

Abigail Leibowitz

Elliott Lessen

Ted & Rose Levin

Larry & Jan Lipov

Spencer & Elisabeth Lynch

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Sharon Toporek

Ilene Turbow

Bob & Sally Warshaw Weisman

Anita Zucker

Lenny & Barbara Zucker

Oscar Iluzada & Stephanie Zweben



"I found a fruitful world because my ancestors planted it for me. Likewise, I am planting for the next generation." - Talmud Ta'anit 23a

Visit jewishcharleston.org/legacy or contact Rebecca Engel 843.614.6484

JEWISH ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION OF GREATER CHARLESTON

WELCOME PHYLLIS MARTIN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
JEWISH ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION OF GREATER CHARLESTON

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I am honored to lead JEF at this time. I truly believe that miracles can happen when purpose and passion align with opportunity and possibility. This is how systems are changed, legacies are established, and communities and organizations come together for the greater good. The region's Jewish community has a long history making lasting and impactful contributions. I look forward to building on this foundation in the coming years.



Contact Phyllis at Phyllis@JEFSC.org or 864-908-7316

Jewish Endowment
Foundation
of Greater Charleston

The Jewish Endowment Foundation's mission is rooted in the Jewish value of Tikkun Olam – Repair the World. Contributions help ensure and safeguard the values and lives of the Jewish people in our community and around the globe. Our donors' commitment to philanthropy is a powerful legacy to family, friends, and community, further inspiring a culture of philanthropy and continuity of leadership in the Greater Charleston region.

WOMEN'S PHILANTHROPY



2022 Lion of Judah Society

Anonymous (1)

Elisia Abrams

Heidi Allen

Jaclyn Berlinsky

Amy Foster Bower

Sandra Brett

Eileen Chepenik

Elinor Cohen

Judi Corsaro

Lynda Denberg

Kim Dye

Marissa Dye

Rebecca Engel

Terry Fisher

Linda Gilston

Cynthia Hodosh

Ellen Hoffman

Marilyn Hoffman

Sylvia Hyman

Pamela Kaplan

Elaine Krell

Rachel Landis

Andrea Lee-Zucker

Abby Leibowitz

Halle Lipov

Elisabeth Lynch

Suzanne Lynch

Dana Foster McAfee

Leslie Miller

Shirley Mills

Ellen Nadler

Susan Pearlstine

Amy Salzhauer McMarlin

Mindelle Seltzer

Tiffany Shankman

Olga Shulman

Cara Spitz

Shara Star

Elaine Tessler

Sara Tick

Barbara Zucker

Jessica Zucker

Laura Zucker



Cara Spitz Rivera with her grandmother, Bobbi Spitz, at CJP's Women's Philanthropy Event

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I feel a connection to my grandmothers and their work through the Federation, and I know that being a Lion of Judah is a way for me to honor their legacy and continue their work.

—Cara Spitz Rivera

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Lion of Judah Endowment

Linda Cohen

Ava Kleinman

Jan Lipov

Sandra Peskin

Sharon Toporek

Anita Zucker

A Lion of Judah who has endowed her pin at a level of \$125,000 so that she will be a Lion this year and every year, while also ensuring that the Jewish organizations that she cares about will be sustainable for generations to come.



International Lion of Judah Conference

Mazel tov to Anita Zucker on receiving the Kipnis-Wilson/Friedland (KWF) Award from the Jewish Federations of North America! The KWF Award exemplifies the spirit of the Lion of Judah through a proven commitment to **tzedakah** and **tikkun olam** (Philanthropy and Repairing the World) and action.



Three Generations of Lions of Judah: Elinor Cohen, Kim Dye, and Tiffany Shankman

Lions of Judah play a vital role in creating social justice, aiding the vulnerable, preserving human dignity, and building Jewish identity. Leading the way by example of women's philanthropy, a Lion of Judah commits \$5,000 or more annually to the campaign in her name.



Sara Tick & Rachel Landis
at CJP's Women's Philanthropy Event



Sisters Jan Lipov & Susan Pearlstine at CJP's
Women's Philanthropy Event

PHILANTHROPY SOCIETIES & EVENTS



Pomegranate Society



The Pomegranate is a symbol of a woman's commitment to acts of righteousness and loving-kindness. A member of the Pomegranate Society commits \$1,800 or more annually to the campaign in her name.

Cindy Brams
Julie Ellison
Debra S. Engel
Sally Fischbein
Sharon Hox
Lisa Isaacson

Rose Levin
Hilary Rieck
Terry Schildcrout
Freida Sokol
Patricia Rones Sykes
Ilene Turbow

Women's Philanthropy Event



Thank you to Susan Pearlstine for hosting a briefing for Women's Philanthropy, where Ana Sazonov shared her experiences volunteering with Ukrainian refugees on Poland's border.

Major Gifts Event



Thank you to Jack Schaeffer for hosting our CJF Major Gifts event, which featured Mark Wilf, JFNA Chair, and honored Anita Zucker.

Community Security Briefing



Community stakeholders met with Michael Masters, CEO of Secure Community Network (SCN). Masters provided insight on the significance and critical need for the security program in our community.

THANK YOU TO OUR 2022 DONORS

\$250,000+

The Zucker Family:

Anita Zucker
Laura & Jonathan Zucker
Jessica & Jeffrey Zucker
Andrea & Aaron Lee- Zucker

\$50,000+

Marietta & Hyman Bielsky
The Elinor & Manuel Cohen,
Kim Dye, Harris Cohen,
Tiffany & Eli Shankman,
Marissa Dye Foundation

\$25,000+

Jan, Larry, Halle Lipov

\$20,000+

Ava & Bruce Kleinman
Shirley & Mike Mills
Sandra & Howard Peskin

\$15,000+

Susan Pearlstine, Amy Foster
Bower, Dana Foster McAfee

\$10,000+

Elisia Abrams & Keath Blatt
Sandra Brett & Richard Friedman
David Dumas
Sylvia & Aaron Hyman
Elaine & Barry Krell
Elisabeth & Spencer Lynch
Cara Spitz Rivera
Elaine & Stuart Tessler
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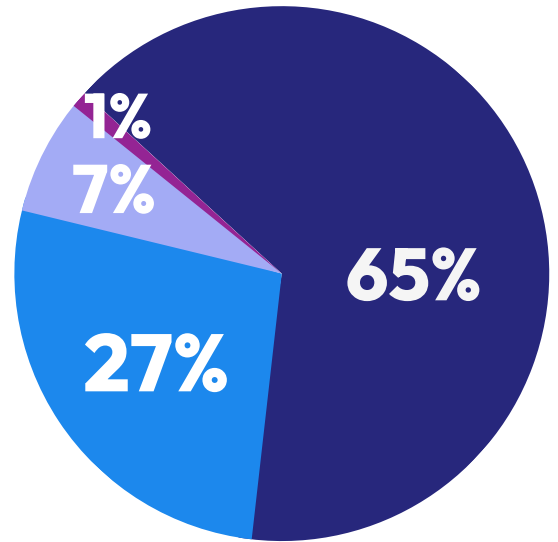
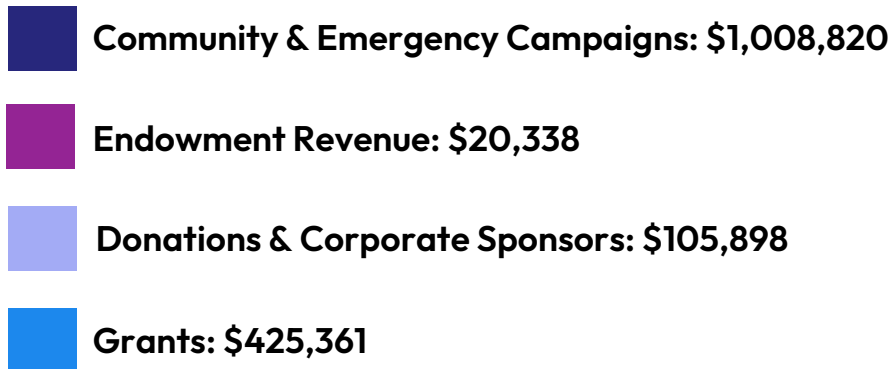


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